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The steamer Lurline did not get away last night until 11:30, owing to a rush of business.

The Civic Improvement League will hold a meeting in the office of Dr. H. L. Henderson this evening. Import-

ant business will be transacted, so a goodly attendance is urged by the officers.

The M. C. T. U. will hold a regular meeting at the hall on Bond street at the usual hour this afternoon.

Don't fail to attend the athletic entertainment at the Commercial Club gymnasium tonight. Admission, 25c.

The congressional republican committee was chosen at Portland yes-

terday. W. E. Schimpff is the representative from Clatsop on the committee.

Claud B. Simpson, now a resident of Pendleton, arrived in the city last night and will leave today for Tillamook.

Large pansy plants 40c dozen; choice tea roses \$1 dozen; cut carnations 50c dozen and up. Next door to Unique theater.

County Clerk Clinton yesterday issued a marriage license to James H. McPherson and Mary J. Johnson, both of Clatsop county.

Charles Kauttu, a native of Finland, and Andrew M. Tover, a native of Norway, yesterday declared their intention of becoming citizens of the United States.

The office of the county clerk was open last night between the hours of 7 and 9 for the convenience of voters. The office will be kept open on Wednesday nights until the registration books are closed, on May 15.

Exalted Ruler C. V. Brown, of Astoria lodge of Elks, has appointed the following officers: Chaplain, N. D. Johnson; esquire, Charles H. Abercrombie; inside guard, Isaac Bergman; finance committee, H. L. Knight, George Ohler and G. W. Wood.

A birthday party was tendered Mrs. Lenna Bowe at the Central hotel last evening. Games were played and a musical program carried out, and refreshments served. Among the musical numbers was a violin selection by Miss Elsie Larson.

The funeral of Bothilda Henningsen will be held from the Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran church, corner Thirty-ninth street and Grand avenue, (not from Rev Holden's residence) at 1:45 this (Thursday) afternoon. The interment will take place at Greenwood.

Loo You, an aged Chinese, was yesterday found dead in an Astor street house. The old man evidently died from natural causes. He was not in favor with his countrymen, who had taken little interest in him during his illness, and who manifested less after his death.

The people of the city are beginning to wonder if a regatta is to be held this year. Last year's committee got a very early start, but found it required every day of the time to properly arrange for the three days' attraction. There is overwhelming sentiment for the holding of the regatta, and it is felt the committee should be selected at an early date.

The police are trying to locate a young man named Charles Gronlund, who arrived in the city last Saturday from San Francisco in search of employment. Gronlund is a tinner by trade. Sunday morning he left his lodgings and has not since been seen. It is feared perhaps some accident may have befallen him. The police have thus far been unable to locate the missing man.

Arthur Lewis, son of ex-County Commissioner Howell Lewis, died yesterday. The young man was 23 years of age and had long been a sufferer from consumption. The funeral will be held from the residence at John Day on Friday. The steamer Jordan will leave the foot of Twelfth street at 11 o'clock noon to convey those who desire to attend. The interment will be in Greenwood.

The Japs last evening increased their lead in the bowling tournament at the Commercial alleys by taking three of the four games from Mik. Klesen's aggregation. Elgner bowled in Fredericks' place last night and his 51 score in the first game lost the Japs the only one of the four games. Graham, the baby Jap, bowled in fine form, and his 179 was the high flat total of the night. The first team will meet this evening for practice.

The ship Berlin yesterday completed her crew at the customs house, signing an additional 23 men. In all the Alaska Fishermen's Packing Company has signed 106 men, while the Columbia River Packers' Association has signed 61. The association has private arrangements with about 45

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or 50 other men. The steamer North King, under charter to the Portland-Alaska Packers' Association, and the steamer North Star, under charter to the Alaska Fishermen's Packing Company, are yet to finish their complements. It is believed some of the Alaskan vessels will get away from port today or tomorrow, although the day for sailing has been fixed as Saturday.

The police are still rounding up the hobos as they drop into the city, and last night Officer Settem picked up two other knights of the road. The men came in on the break beams and were as black as negroes. They were given lodgings at the city jail, for which, on account of the slight downpour, they should have been thankful if they were not. This afternoon they will tell their story to Police Judge Anderson, who will fine them \$50 or so, affording them an opportunity to leave the city.

According to a dispatch from Washington, Senator Fulton is drafting and will soon introduce a joint resolution authorizing the president to prohibit the importation of fresh salmon from Puget sound and tributaries during the canning season. This is in the nature of retaliation to the action of British Columbia in refusing American canneries the right to purchase fresh British Columbia salmon. The canning interests of the North Pacific coast have protested to Senator Fulton that, under existing conditions, Canadian canners are buying large quantities of Puget sound salmon, canning them and reshipping to the United States, while Puget sound canners are denied the right to purchase British Columbia salmon for canning purposes.

When the man who takes care of the stable of the Astoria Grocery Co. went out yesterday morning to feed the horse, he found that the animal was missing. The stable is in the rear of the store. Investigation disclosed the fact that that portion of the flooring of the stable on which the stall stood had fallen into the river below and the horse had gone down with it. Search for the animal was instituted and he was found underneath Tagg's candy store, about 100 yards from the place where he was precipitated into the river. The animal is believed to have gone overboard about 9:30 the previous night and was in the water 12 hours when rescued. He showed the effects of his rough experience, but will be fit for work again in a few days.

The straight-out democrats have been putting in some pretty hard licks during the past few days. Their ticket is not yet completed, according to the statement made last night by one of the leaders of the straight movement, but it is confidently asserted there will be no lack of timber. Councilman J. V. Burns will, it is said, be one of the legislative candidates, but the other nominee has thus far caused his name to be withheld. Captain of Police Gammal was asked to be a candidate for sheriff, but his consent is lacking. Councilman Morton, who has been spoken of as a probable nominee for sheriff and also for the legislature, is to accept the nomination for treasurer. The democrats are preparing in advance for the work cut out for them at the convention, and the indications are the session will be a very brief one.

The program for the athletic entertainment to be given tonight at the Commercial Club gymnasium will be more interesting than any other ever before prepared in this city. It is replete with attractive numbers, and will prove of especial interest to ladies and gentlemen. The boxing bouts will be splendid. Chop Stockton and Ross Trullinger are down for the opening event, while B. A. Elgner and Will Painter will go on later in the evening. There will be a first class exhibition of ventriloquism by Professor Champion, a pie eating contest, Italian saber review exercises, saber bouts, fencing exhibitions, work on the apparatus and some highly amusing comic exhibitions. No effort has been spared to make the entertainment attractive, and a large number of persons should attend. The proceeds will be devoted to the gymnasium, the friend of the growing boys of the city. The entertainment will be begun promptly at 8 o'clock.

The 1904 fishing season will commence tomorrow. Tonight the boats will go out and in the morning the delivery of fish will be started. The fishermen have been preparing for the season for weeks past, and, while it is too early as yet to predict the amount of gear there will be in the water this year, it is certain that operations will be extensively carried on. Generally, fishermen anticipate a good season. All

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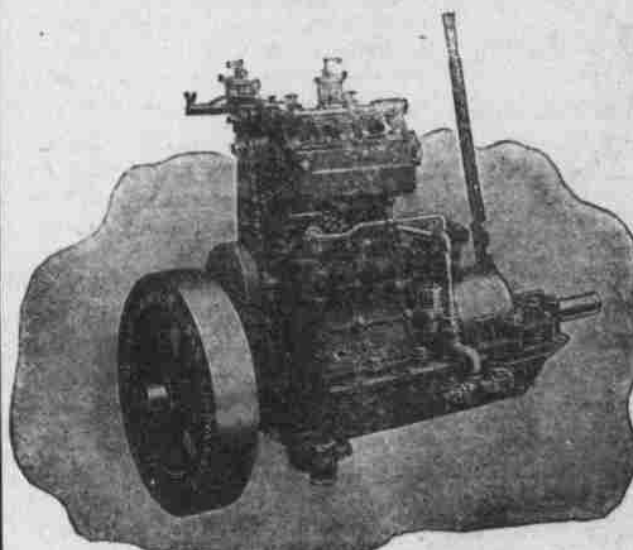
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are satisfied there will be the usual fine run of hatchery fish, and it is believed the early supply will prove plentiful. If statements recently made by persons from up river points are to be relied upon, the river is now full of salmon. Fishermen and packers are prepared for a busy season, and, if the supply of fish proves good, the pack this year will be a large one. The fishermen recently fixed the price of fish at 5 and 7 cents, and the packers have given notice that they will pay 5 and 6 cents. So far as could be learned yesterday, there is no danger of a clash over the price. The fishermen set the 7-cent price on salmon weighing 25 pounds and more, while the packers announce they will pay 6 cents for fish over 27 pounds in weight. All of the packers on the lower river with the single exception of B. A. Seaborg have signed the notice, which appears in The Astorian.

Hermann For First District.

Salem, April 13.—The first congressional convention for the First district of Oregon today nominated Hon. Binger Hermann, the present congressman, for re-election. The choice was unanimous. Resolutions were adopted heartily endorsing the present national administration, the candidacy of Pres-

ident Roosevelt for nomination and the work of the congressional representatives generally.

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